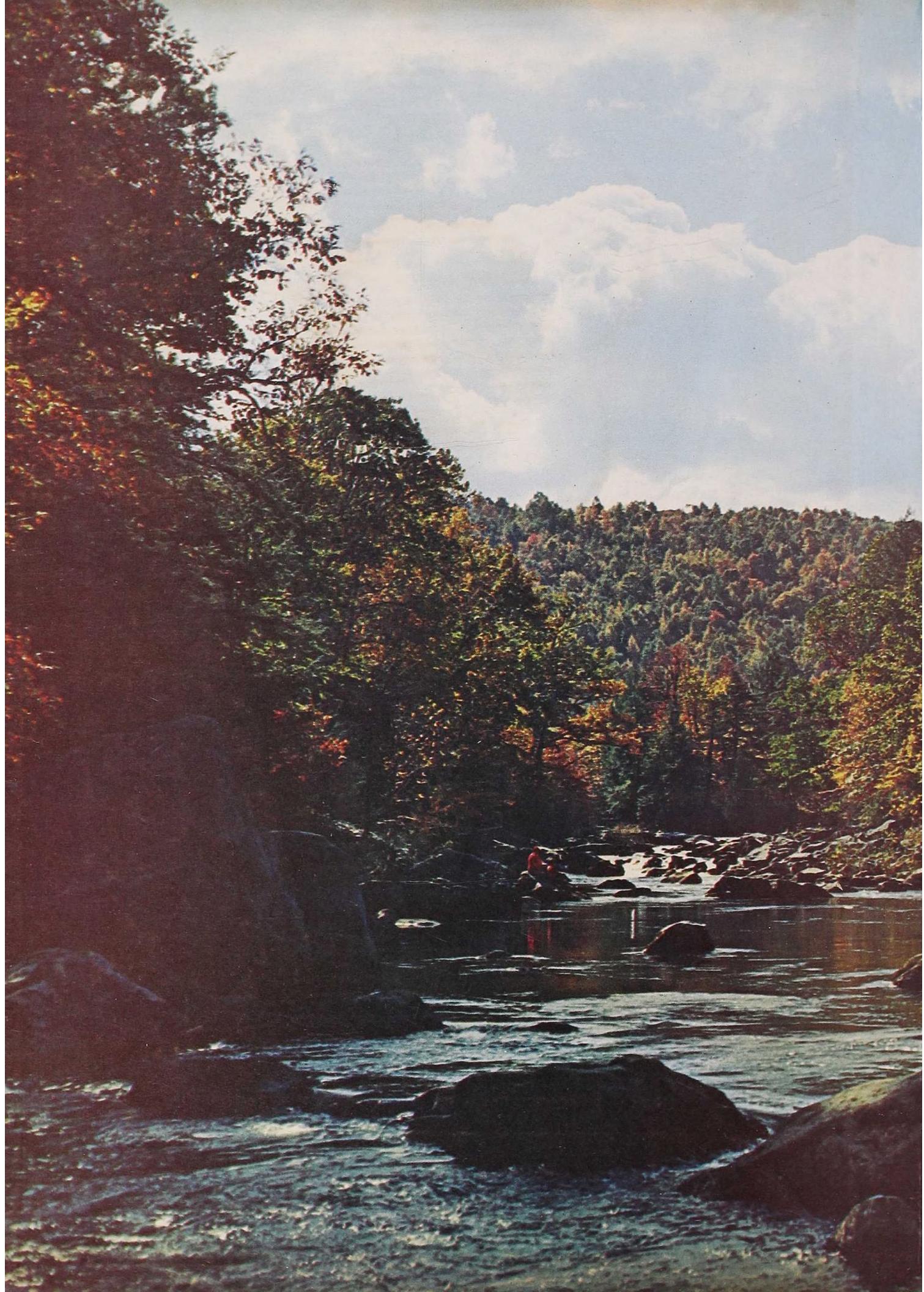
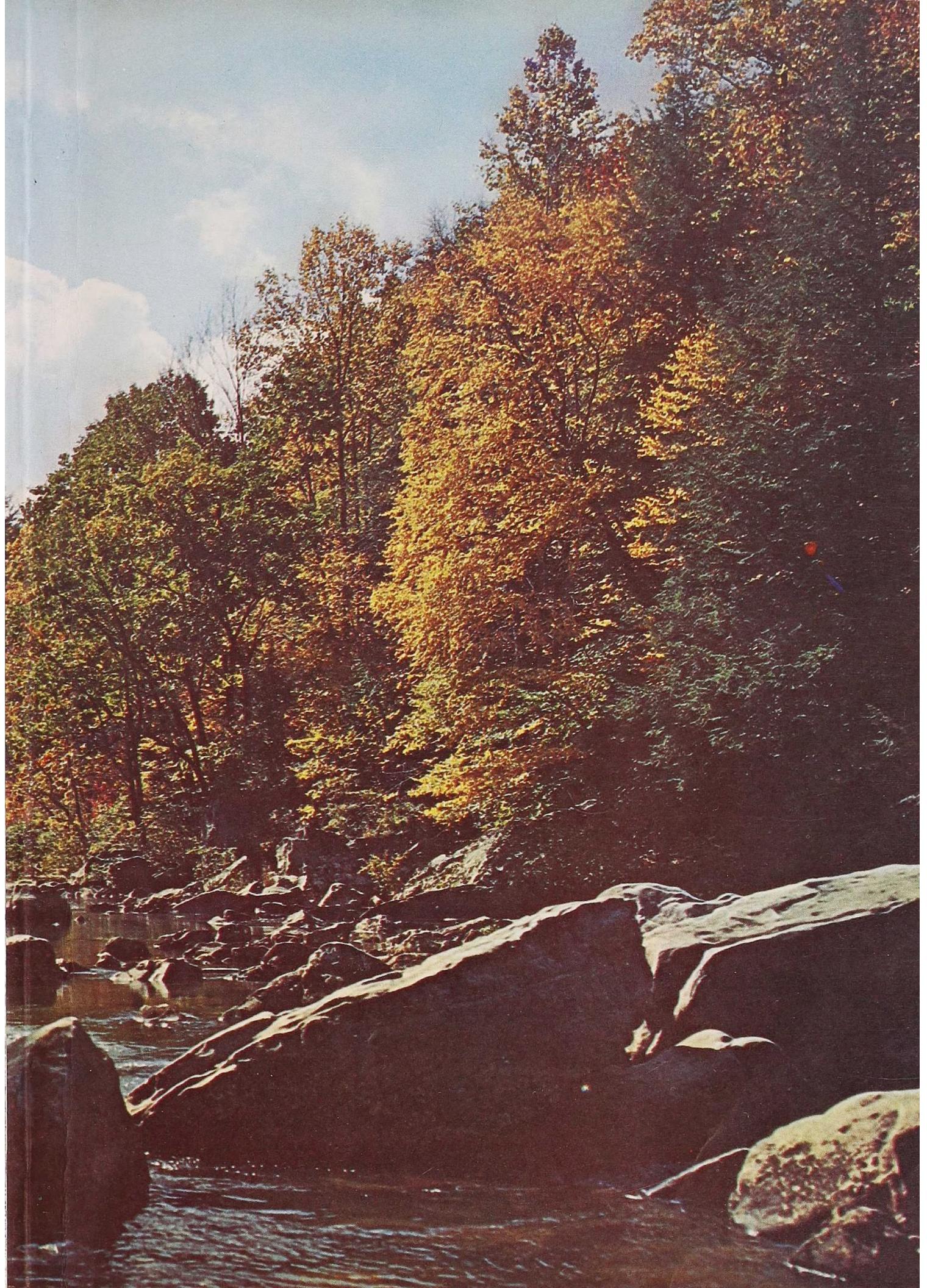




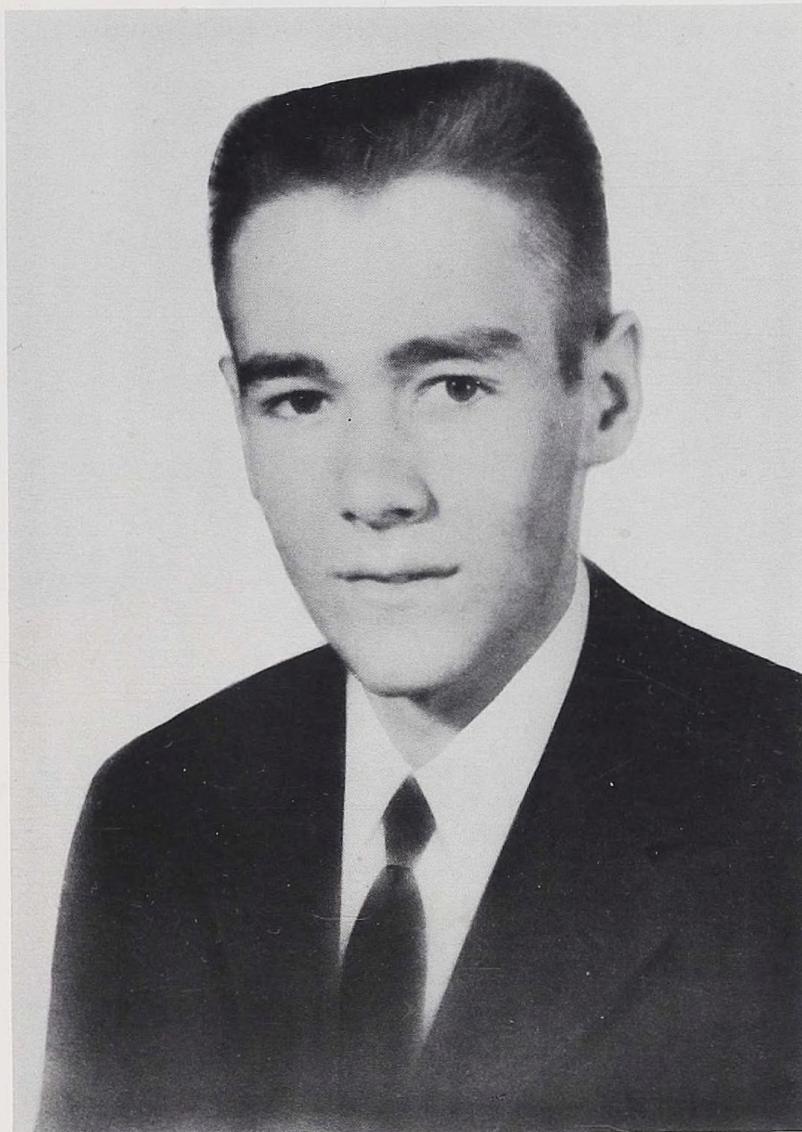
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HILLITES





Dedication



Robert J. Hermesch, vice-president of the junior class, died in an automobile accident on January 8. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hermesch, Robert was born February 12, 1944.

It seems that everywhere there is one vacant place. Indeed we miss Bob in every area of school life, for where there was activity, there was Bob.

Not only did he hold a place on the honor roll each six-weeks, but he went in wholeheartedly for extra-

curricular activities speech, chorus, and athletics. He was preparing for the county festival and for the annual co-op contest, both of which he entered last year. He held a position on the first team in basketball. The respect he held in his own class is evident from the fact that he was a class officer each year.

Surely it was not hard for Bob to give an account of his talents, for he had many of them and he used them exceptionally well.

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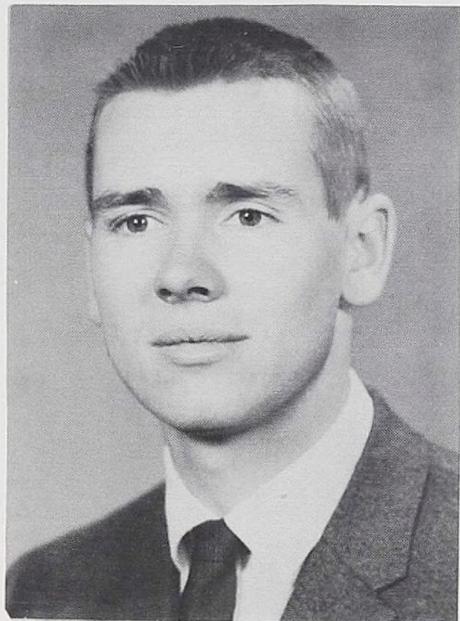


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Communication Skills

Sister Mary Paul, O.S.B.
English,
Latin, Music



Mr. Cletus G. Grossdidier
Coach
Math, History



Mr. Russell DeVillier
Assistant principal,
Science, English



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*Silent, whispering Sea, beyond the steep
And thorny reach of doubt, your peace hangs deep.*

Seniors



Robert F. Runnebaum

Birthday: July 4, 1943

Parents: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Runnebaum

Activities: Class Officer (1,4);

Athletic Club Officer (3,4); Glee

Club (1-4); Kosmic Klub (2,3);

Latin Club (3); Baseball (1-4);

Basketball (2-4); Track (4)



Mary Ellen Glissman

Birthday: October 1, 1943

Parents: Mr. and Mrs. Ben Glissman

Activities: Class Officer (4);

Glee Club (1,4); Pep Club (2-4);

Kosmic Klub (3)



Donna Hermesch

Birthday: September 9, 1943

Parents: Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Hermesch

Activities: Class Officer (4);

Glee Club (1-4); Pep Club (2-4);

Cheerleader (2-4)



Ruthann Levret
Birthday: January 3, 1943
Parents: Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence E. Levret
Activities: Glee Club (1-4); Pep Club (2-4); Spool Club (4)



Sharon Haverkamp
Birthday: May 15, 1943
Parents: Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Haverkamp
Activities: Class Officer (3); Glee Club (1-4); Pep Club Officer (4); Latin Club (3)



Rosemary Rottinghaus
Birthday: September 24, 1943
Parents: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rottinghaus
Activities: Class Officer (2); Glee Club (1-4); Pep Club (2-4); Kosmic Klub (3); Spool Club (4)



Robert Heinen

Birthday: November 11, 1943

Parents: Mr. and Mrs. Jacob
Heinen

Activities: Glee Club (1-4);
Basketball (2-4); Baseball
(1-4); Track (2-3); Kosmic Club
(2-3)

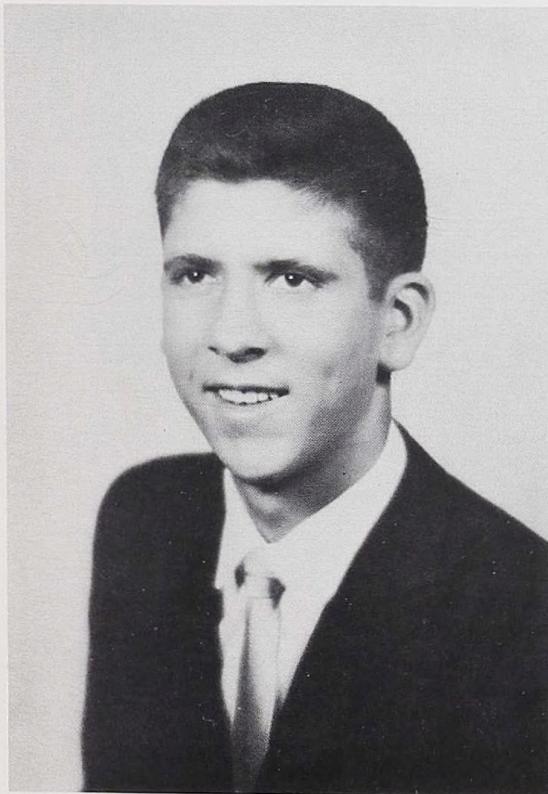


Mary Elaine Hutfles

Birthday: March 17, 1943

Parents: Mr. and Mrs. Ernest J.
Hutfles

Activities: Class Officer (1);
Glee Club (1-4); Pep Club Officer
(4); Latin Club Officer (3)



James Bowhay

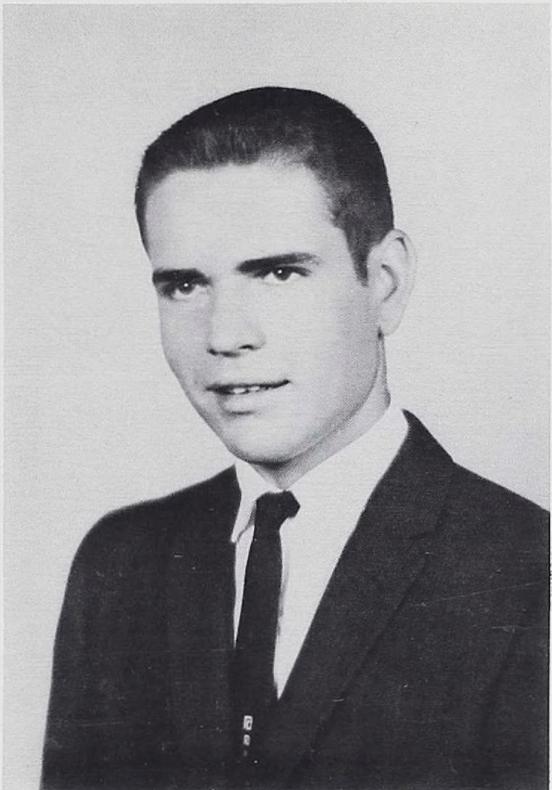
Parents: Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Bowhay

Birthday: January 11, 1943

Activities: Glee Club (1-4);
Baseball (1-4); Basketball (2-3);
Track (2-3)



Judy Rottinghaus
Birthday: May 23, 1943
Parents: Mr. and Mrs. Albert
Rottinghaus
Activities: Class Officer(2-3);
Glee Club(1-4); Pep Club (3-4);
Pep Club officer(4)



David L. Stallbaumer
Birthday: July 15, 1943
Parents: Mr. and Mrs. Francis
Stallbaumer
Activities: Glee Club (1-4)
Basketball (2-4); Baseball (2-4);
Track (4); Kosmic Klub (2-3);
Athletic Club Officer (2-4)



Lola Mae Heinen
Parents: Mr. and Mrs. Lambert Heinen
Birthday: October 17, 1961
Activities: Class officer (3);
Glee Club (1-4); Pep Club (2-4);
Pep Club officer (3)



Robert F. Korte
Birthday: May 18, 1943
Parents: Mr. and Mrs. Albert Korte
Activities: Class Officer (3);
Glee Club (1-4); Basketball (2-4);
Baseball (1-4); Track (2-4);
Kosmic Klub (2,3)



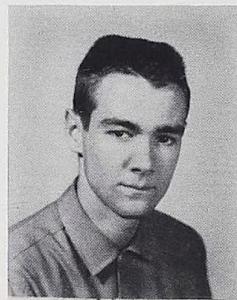
*And clear the depths where its eddies play,
And dimples deepen and whirl away.*

Underclassmen 1911

Junior



Mary C.
Bowhay



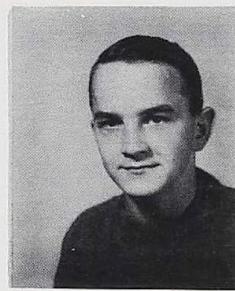
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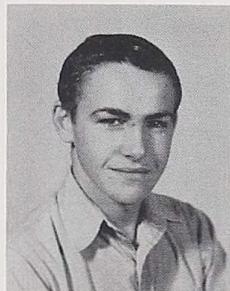
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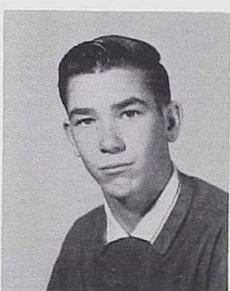
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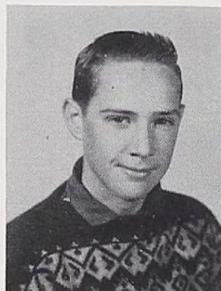
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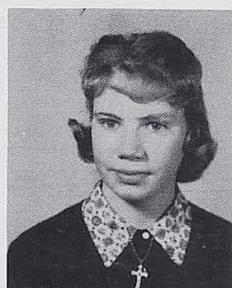
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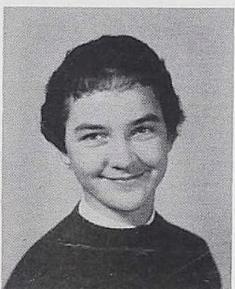
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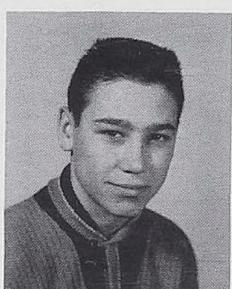
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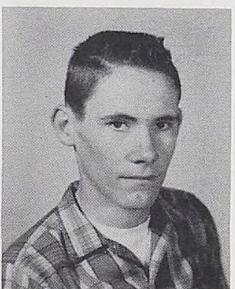
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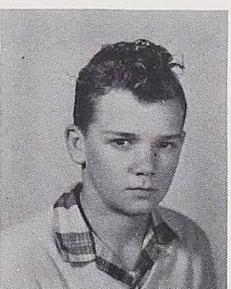
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*Silent, whispering Sea, beyond the steep
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CLASSES

ON THE

CLASS OFFICERS



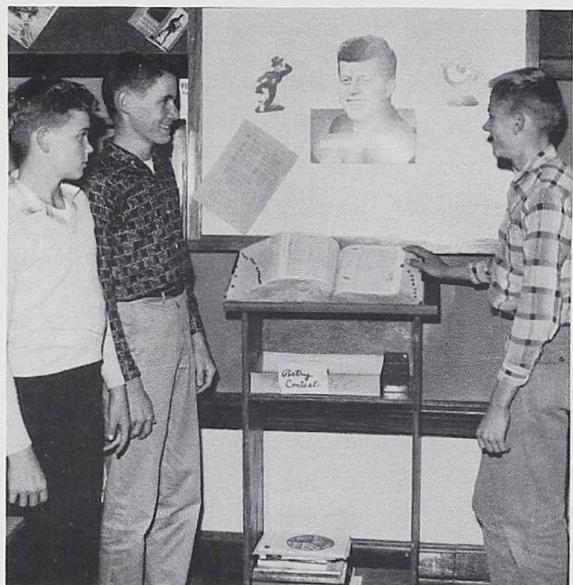
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President--Bob Runnebaum
Vice Pres.--Mary Ellen Glissman
Secretary--Donna Hermesch



SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS
President--Maurice Huerter
Vice Pres.--James Rottinghaus
Secretary--Mary Jane Schultejans



JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS
President--Lambert Bokern
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Secretary--Dolores Heinen



FRESHMAN CLASS OFFICERS
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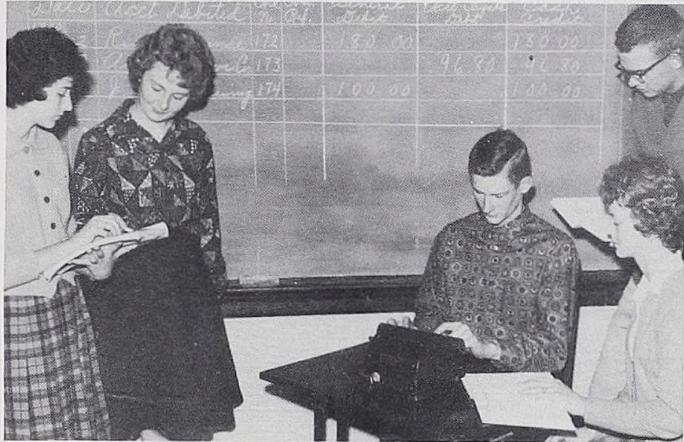
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SPECIAL TRAINING

Tomorrow's Homemakers:
 Lola Heinen, Rosemary Rottinghaus
 Elaine Hutfles, Ruthann Levret,
 Donna Hermesch, and Mary Ellen
 Glissman.



Getting Ready For the Business World:
 Ruthann Levret, Sharon Haverkamp
 Robert Heinen, Judy Rottinghaus,
 and Robert Korte.



CLOTHING PROJECTS
 Donna Hermesch, Rosemary Rottinghaus,
 Lola Mae Heinen, Mary Ellen Glissman,
 Ruthann Levret, Elaine Hutfles



Shorthand Students Striving for speed:
 Mary Ellen Glissman, Lola Heinen,
 Rosemary Rottinghaus, Donna
 Hermesch, and Mary Elaine Hutfles.



Some first year typists:
 Dolores Heinen, Mary Catherine
 Bowhay, Robert Runnebaum, Mary
 Clara Niehues, David Stallbaumer

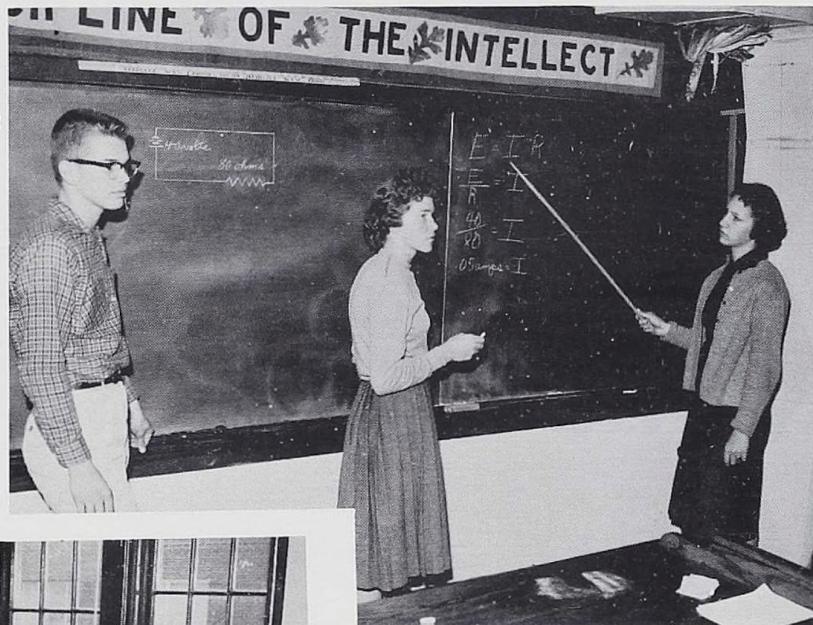
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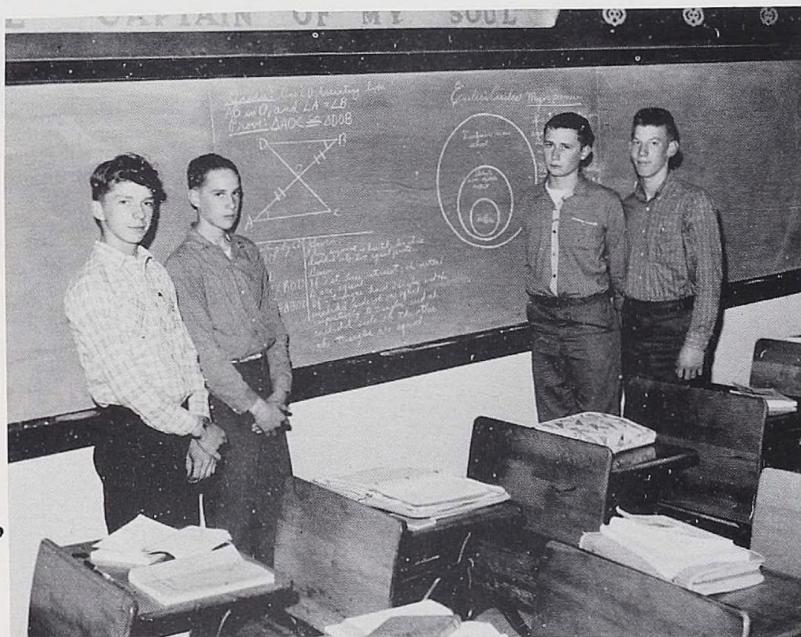
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Problems in electricity challenge Algebra I students: Louis Stallbaumer, Judy Kohake, and Joan Kohake.

MATH



Algebra II class
hard at work!



Geometricians pose before explaining their problems:
Harold Brokamp, Frank Wessel,
Lynn Haverkamp, and Albert
Rottinghaus.

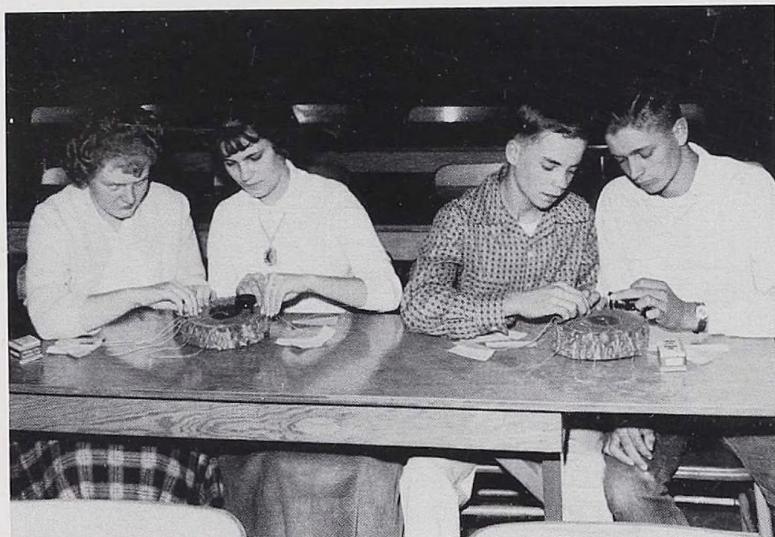
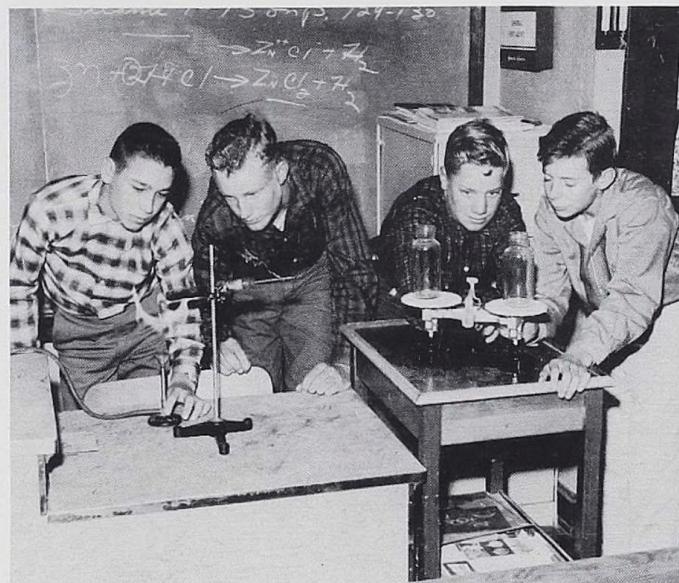
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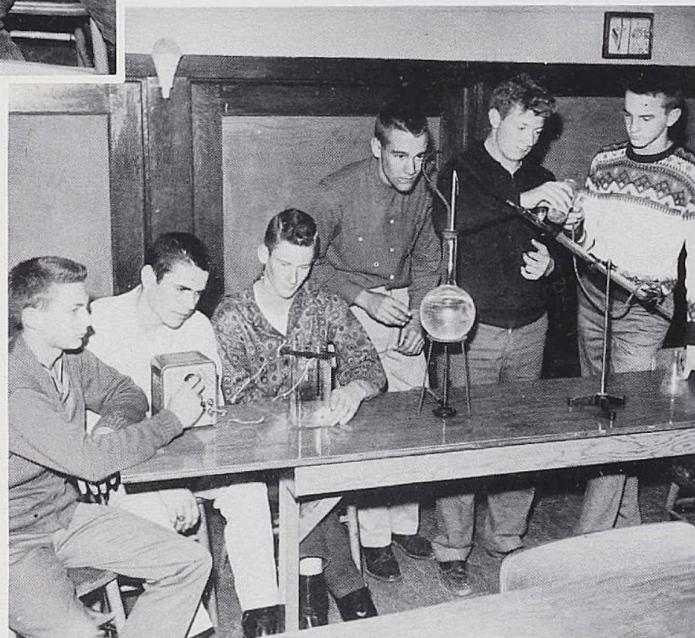
SCIENCE

General Science Students show great interest in experimenting; pictured are: Mark Heinen, Kenneth Holthaus, Glen Niehues and David Huerter.



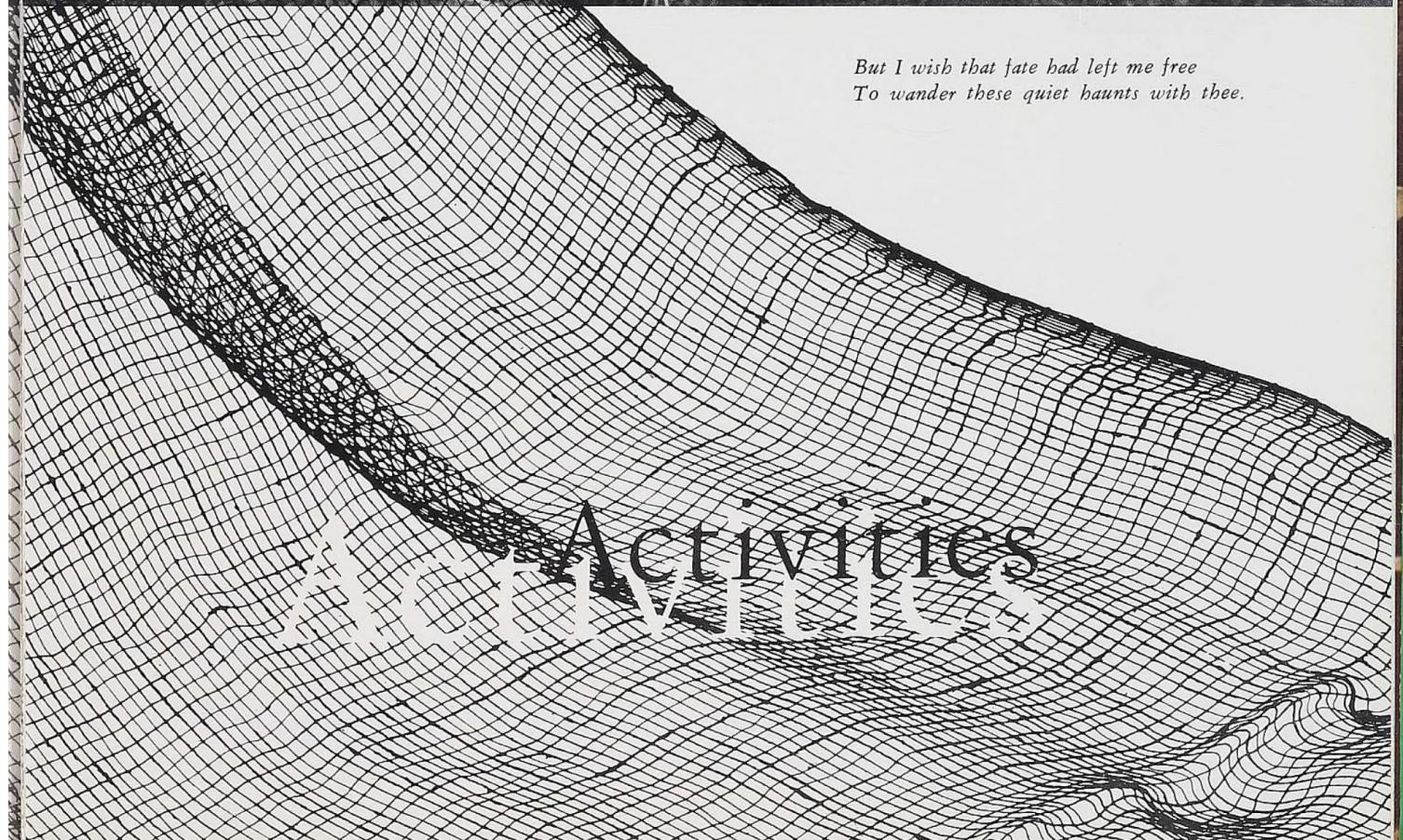
Biology students determining the age of wood: Dorothy Heinen, Betty Hutfles, George Haverkamp, and Kenneth Haverkamp.

Chemistry students performing experiments:
Robert Runnebaum, David Stallbaumer
Robert Heinen, decompose water by electrolysis. Robert Hermesch, Charles Ennekking, Lambert Bokern, purifying water by distillation.





*But I wish that fate had left me free
To wander these quiet haunts with thee.*





FIRST HONOR-ROLL STUDENTS

David Huerter, Lambert Bokern, Dolores Heinen,
Donna Huerter, Gary Hunninghake, and Robert
Runnebaum.

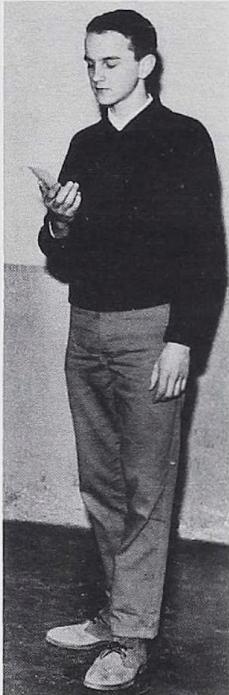


SECOND HONOR ROLL STUDENTS

Standing are Mary Jane Schultejans,
Joan Kohake, Mildred Bokern, Judy
Rottinghaus, Verna Mae Steinlage.
Seated are Betty Kay Hutfles,
Robert Korte, Rosemary Rottinghaus,
and Mary Elaine Hutfles.

SPEAKERS IN CO-OP SPEECH CONTEST

Front: Lambert Bokern, Robert Runnebaum,
Donna Huerter, David Stallbaumer
Back: Charles Enneking, Rosemary Korte,
Betty Kay Hutfles, Dorothy Heinen,
and Robert Heinen



Lambert Bokern
Superior
Co. Sp. Fest.

YEARBOOK STAFF: Seated are Judy Rottinghaus, Mary
Ellen Glissman, Donna Hermesch, Mary Elaine Hutfles,
Lola Mae Heinen, David Stallbaumer, Robert Korte,
and Sharon Haverkamp. Standing are Robert Runnebaum,
Robert Heinen, Rosemary Rottinghaus, and Ruthann
Levret. James Bowhay was absent when the picture
was taken.

**GRAHAM GRAIN COMPANY, ONEIDA
FARMER'S STATE BANK CORNING**



OUTSTANDING MASQUERADERS: Mary Elaine Hutfles, Sharon Haverkamp, Lola Heinen, Donna Hermesch, Mary Ellen Glissman, and Rosemary Korte



Harold
Brokamp



Charles
Enneking



Mary C.
Bowhay

Three speakers rate "excellent" in county speech festival



Mary Clara Niehues and Lola Mae Heinen in drama duo.



Mary Ellen Glissman
and Donna Hermesch
in duet acting



Gary Hunninghake
Superior
Co. Sp. Fest.



MINOR MIRACLE, one-act play presented by Robert Korte (Laslos), David Stallbaumer (Jordan), Robert Heinen (Hale), and Robert Runnebaum (McClane).



SENIOR CLASS PLAYS



Riga (Mary Elaine Hutfles)
giving advice to Motka
(Ruthann Levret).



"I've a letter for you,
Yolande." (Donna Hermesch)
says Riga, as Solda (Sharon
Haverkamp) watches.

SCENES FROM "GRAY BREAD"



A torn wedding gown



Mary Ellen Glissman (Ella Lee)
Rosemary Rottinghaus (Verna)
Judy Rottinghaus (Diane)
Lola Heinen (Julie)

SCENES FROM "THE DAY AFTER FOREVER"

JUNIOR-SENIOR PROM



"Around the World"



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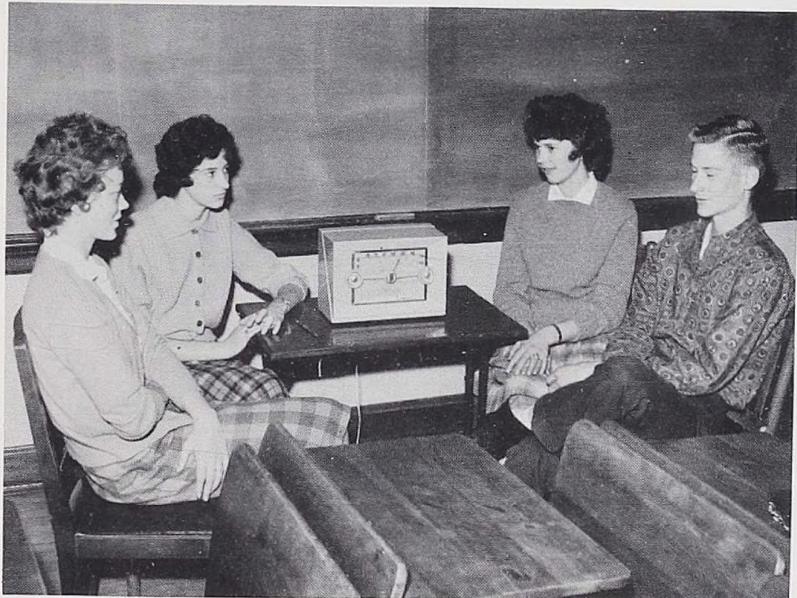
ELECTION DAY

ELECTION RALLY

Campaign issues being discussed before student body by Mary Ellen Glissman, Robert Heinen, Robert Runnebaum, Robert Korte, Rosemary Rottinghaus, Lambert Bokern, and Robert Hermesch.

Mock Election

Robert Korte, Robert Heinen receive ballots from election assistants, Mary Cathrine Bowhay and Mary Clara Niehues



ELECTION RETURNS

Judy Rottinghaus, Ruthann Levret, Shirley Heinen and Robert Heinen listening to election returns.

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THE SPOKESMAN

Representing the staff are :
Charles Enneking (standing) and
Rosemary Rottinghaus, Ruthann
Levret, Lambert Bokern, and Bob
Hermesch.

Both juniors and seniors work
together to publish the Spokesman
monthly.



LIBRARY HELPERS:

Laura Mae Wessel
Rosalee Haverkamp
Kathleen Ronnebaum
Mildred Bokern
Vera Enneking

Other freshman girls
also helped with library work.

ACTIVITIES

VARIED ACTIVITIES

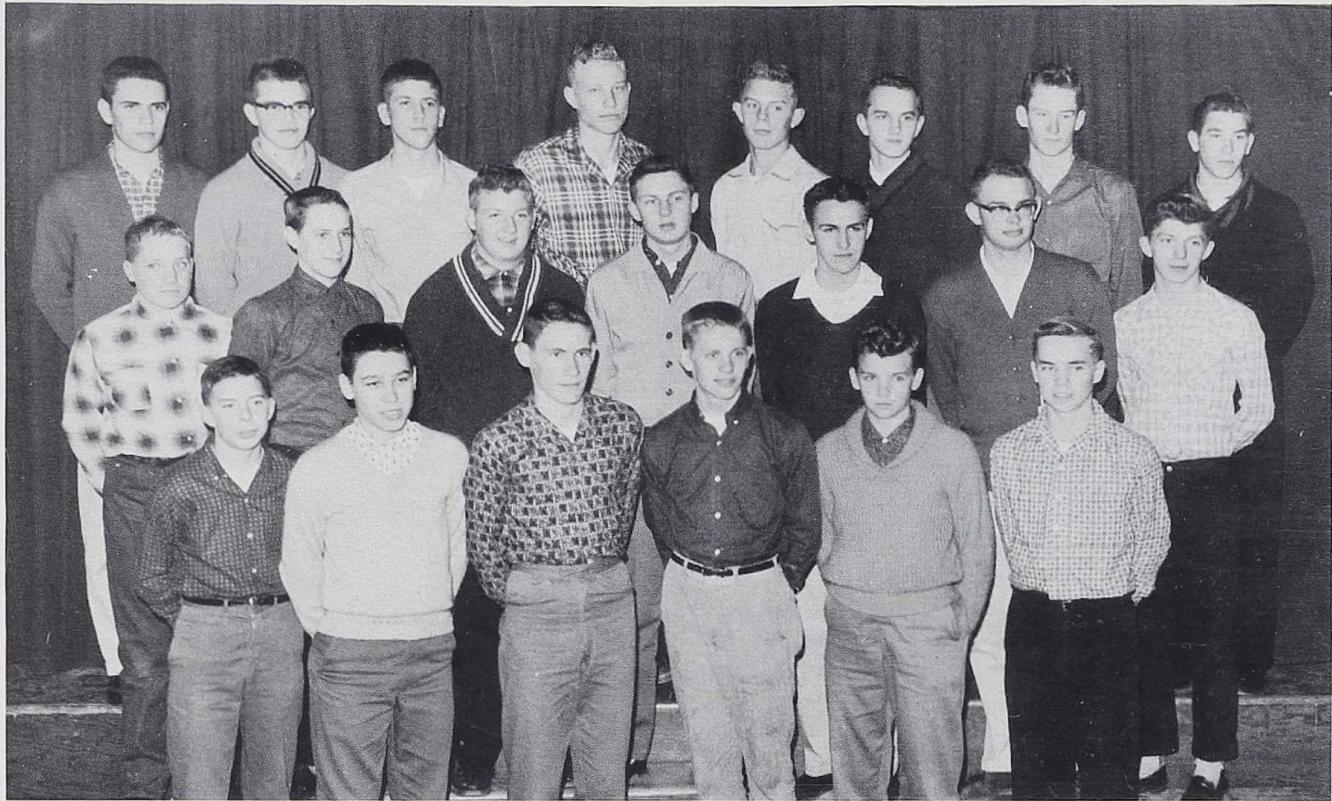
Spool Club Members displaying
finished products: Dolores Heinen,
Mary Clara Niehues, Mary Jane Schultejans,
Donna Huerter, Rose Mary Korte, and
Mary Katherine Bowhay. Most of the
high school girls belong to the Spool
Club sponsored by Sister Annette.
Crocheting and knitting were the chief
activities.



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Our custodian, Tony Nolte, who does many, many things for us.



Mrs. Anthony Rettele and Mrs. Alphonse Haverkamp, who prepare the best school lunches in the U.S.A.



Quentin Engelken, who is ready with his bus for the first trip home.

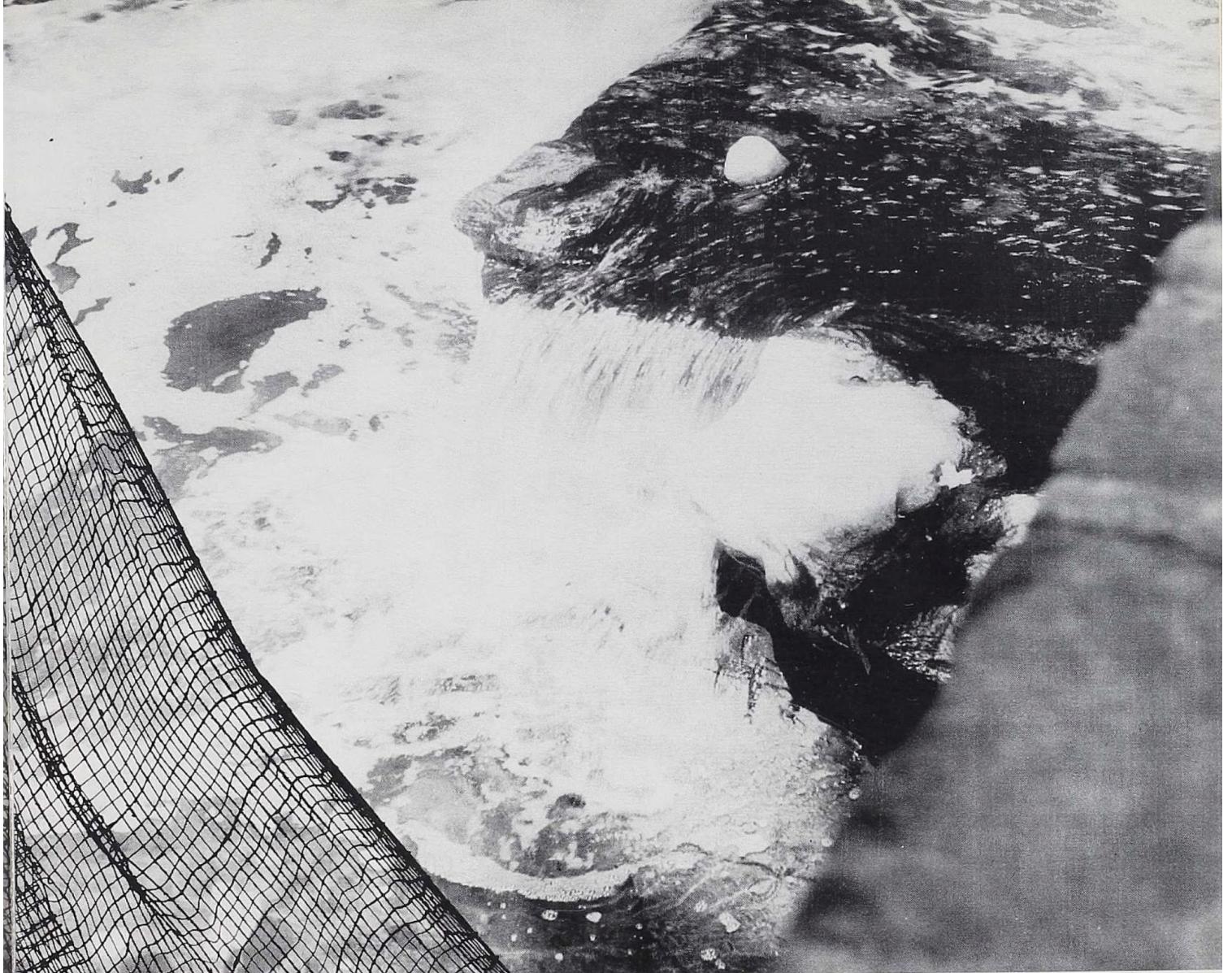
(Bus transportation was inaugurated in September, 1960.)



Virgil Altenhofen, another bus driver, who is ready at the wheel awaiting his young passengers.

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Seneca, Kansas



*Only the shelving gulf before,
Lifting a low deep-structured roar.*

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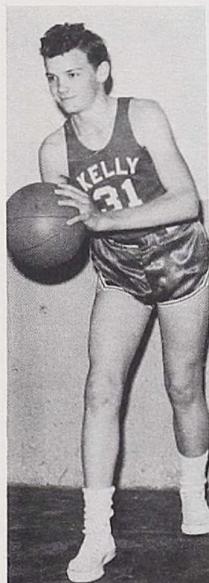
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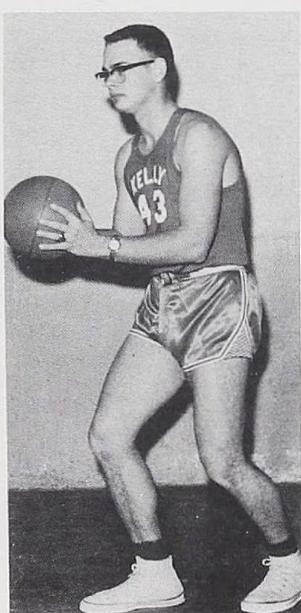
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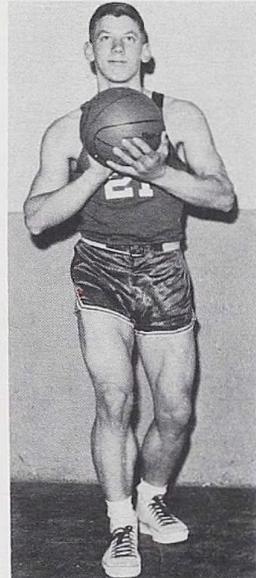
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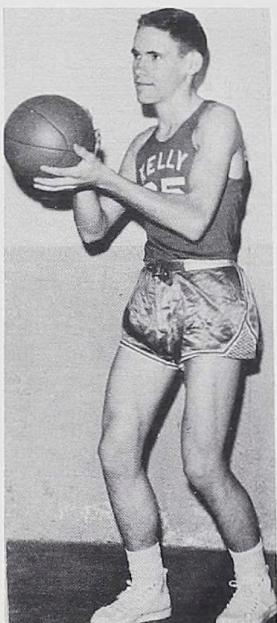
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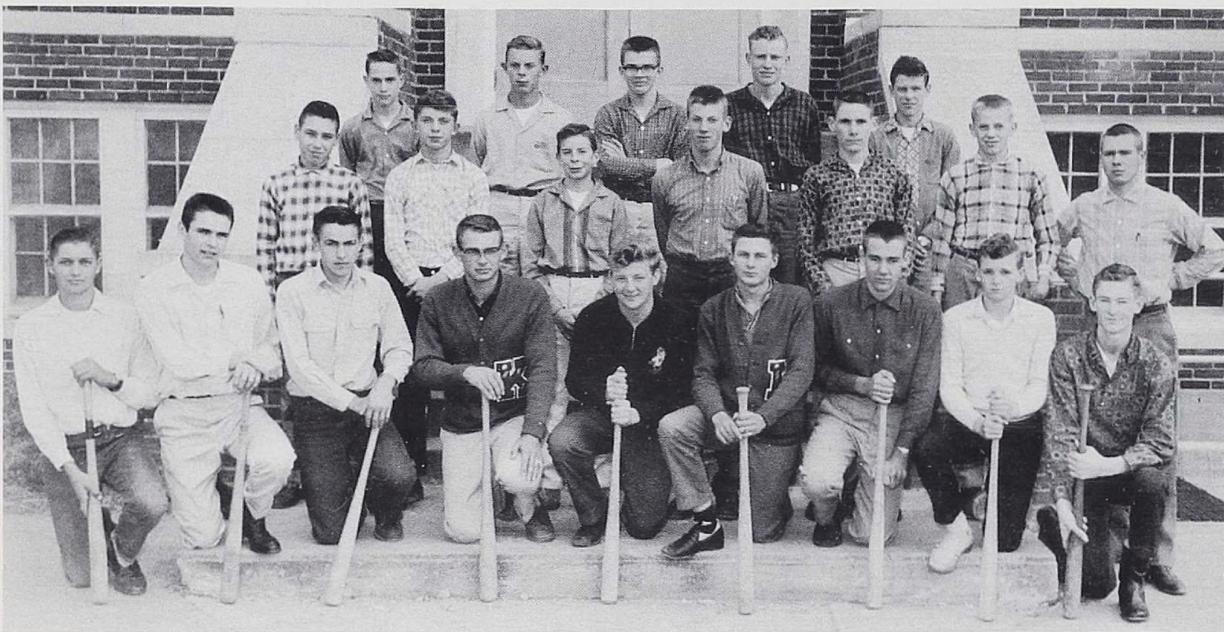
Mark
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David (61)
Stallbaumer

S P A R T A N S

BASEBALL TEAM



"B" TEAM



LAUER FUNERAL HOME

THE SPARTANETTES



TEAM
W
O
R
K

TEAM
W
O
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K



CHEERLEADERS:

Donna Hermesch

Judy Kohake

Donna Huerter

Mary Catherine Bowhay

**LOG CABIN
CITIZENS STATE BANK, SENECA**



*Yet pure its waters—its shallows are bright
With colored pebbles and sparkles of light.*

24 Grades



Gloria
Huerter

Betty
Bowhay

Patricia
Niehues

Lucy
Enneking

Alice
Hunnighake

James
Huerter



Mary Jane
Niehues



Joella
Steinlage



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Rottinghaus



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Rose Ann
Schultejans

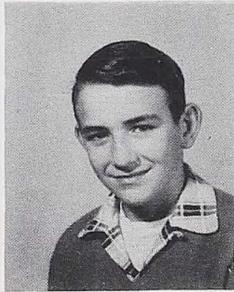


Joseph
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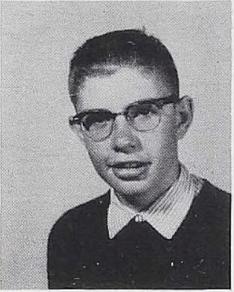
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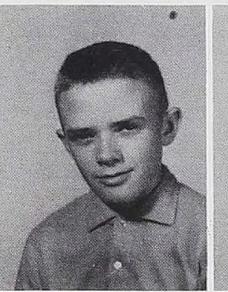
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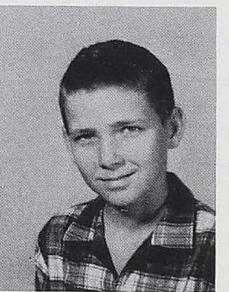
Mary Jo
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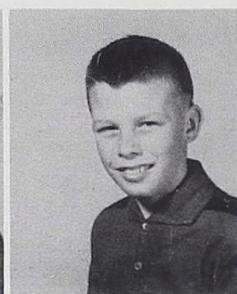
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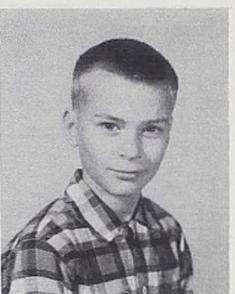
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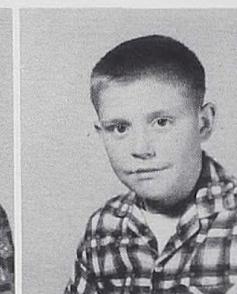
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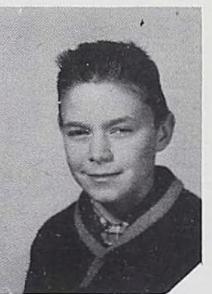
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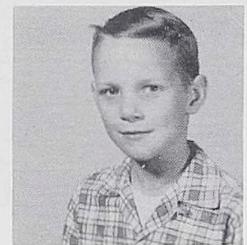
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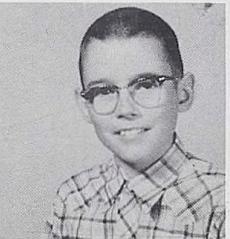
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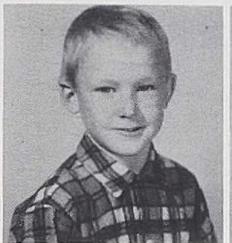
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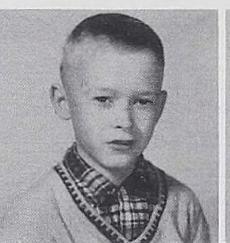
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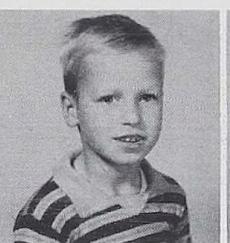
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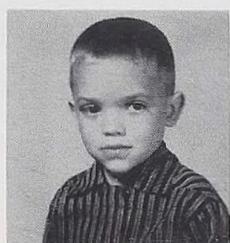
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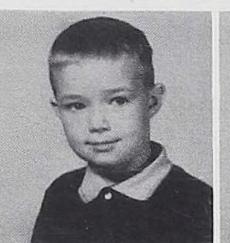
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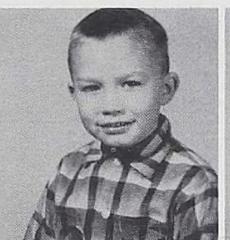
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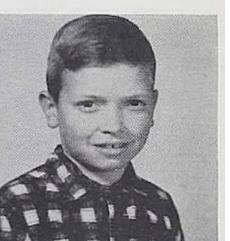
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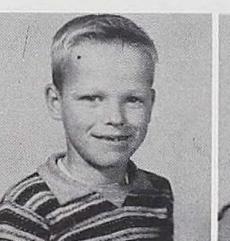
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